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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: ESENALIEV and PROUGH
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§ EXAMINER: WINAKUR
 § GROUP ART UNIT: 3768
 § DOCKET: 98006/26US

FOR: NONINVASIVE BLOOD ANALYSIS BY
 OPTICAL PROBING OF THE VEINS
 UNDER THE TONGUE

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RESPONSE TO 12 DECEMBER 2007 FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner WINAKUR:

In response to the Final Office Action dated 12 December 2007, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks:

SUMMARY OF FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Claims 45, 53, 64, 65, and 70 - 81	stand objected to because of the following informalities
Claims 49, 60, and 73	112, second paragraph – various limitation problems
Claims 45 - 67	102(b) – Hatschek for the reasons of record
Claim 68	103(a) – Hatschek (claim 57) + Takeuchi et al.
Claim 69	allowed
Claims 70 - 72 and 74 - 81	allowable
Claim 73	allowable

OK TO ENTER: /EW/

04/25/2008